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Public Hearing on Chemical Spill

What: A public hearing will be held concerning a chemical spill in the St. Clair River that occurred during the Aug. 14-16 blackout, and on legislation that calls for increased communication regarding future spills.

When: Tuesday, September 30, 7-9 p.m.

Where: St. Clair City Hall, Council Room
547 N. Carney Drive, St. Clair, Michigan

Who: Sen. Patty Birkholz (R-Saugatuck Twp) and the Senate Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs Committee. The hearing is open to the public.

Brief: Local residents will give testimony on the chemical spill. Discussion will take place on a resolution that urges the United States and Canada to develop greater communication and stronger safeguards for quicker notification of chemical spills in the Great Lakes.

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